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SUBJECT: SECRETARY'S VISIT TO SA

REF: (A) SECTO 27076; (B) SECTO 27096

1. ON BASIS OF INFO PROVIDED REF (A), RECOMMEND SCENARIO
FOR FRIDAY, SEPT 17, WOULD BE AS GIVEN BELOW. THIS REFLECTS
PM'S DESIRE TO HOST FIRST WORKING SESSION AND DINNER.

SECRETARY'S SCHEDULE FOR FRIDAY, SEPT 17

ARRIVAL SCENARIO

1550 -- SECRETARY'S AIRCRAFT ARRIVES AT WATERKLOOF AIR BASE.
SECRETARY AND HIS PARTY DEPLANE. NO ARRIVAL CEREMONY.

AT BOTTOM OF RAMP TO GREET SECRETARY AND MRS. KISSINGER
WILL BE:

AMBASSADOR AND MRS. BOWDLER
FOREIGN MINISTER AND MRS. HILGARD MULLER
SECRETARY AND MRS. BRAND FOURIE
AMBASSADOR AND MRS. R. F. BOTHA

(PRESS WILL BE AT AIRPORT AND MICROPHONE WILL BE
INSTALLED SHOULD SECRETARY WISH TO MAKE A STATEMENT.)

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QTTT AA SECRETARY AND PARTY PROCEED TO WAITING MOTORCADE
DRAWN UP NEAR AIRCRAFT. (MULLERS, FOURIES AND BOTHAS
ARE PLANNING TO RIDE IN THEIR OWN CARS IN MOTORCADE
TO THE HOTEL.)

1600 -- MOTORCADE PRECEDED BY MOTORCYCLE ESCORT DEPART
WATERKLOOF.

1610 -- SECRETARY AND PARTY ARRIVE AT BURGERSPARK HOTEL.
HOTEL MANAGER KAREL HERLE WILL BE AT ENTRANCE TO
ESCORT SECRETARY TO HIS SUITE.

1610 TO 1650 -- FREE TIME.

FORST WORKING SESSION

1650 -- SECRETARY DEPARTS FOR PRIME MINISTER'S RESIDENCE
"LIBERTAS".

1700 -- ARRIVE AT "LIBERTAS". PRIME MINISTER MEETS SECRETARY
AT THE DOOR AND THEY PROCEED TO HIS OFFICE FOR PRIVATE
MEETING. DELEGATIONS MEET IN CONFERENCE ROOM AT "LIBERTAS".

PARTICIPANTS

U.S. SOUTH AFRICA

THE SECRETARY PRIME MINISTER VORSTER
OTHERS TO BE NAMED FOREIGN MINISTER MULLER
 DFA SECRETARY FOURIE
 AMBASSADOR BOTHA

1830 -- PRIME MINISTER AND SECRETARY REJOIN DELEGATIONS AND
TO 1930 DISCUSSIONS CONTINUE.

1930 -- DRINKS FOLLOWED BY WORKING DINNER AT "LIBERTAS".

2. BRAND FOURIE TELLS ME PM VORSTER CONCURS IN FOLLOWING
SAME FORMAT USED IN PREVIOUS TALKS (REFTEL B). FOURIE
EXPRESSED HOPE THAT PM WOULD BE ALLOWED TO HOST ALL WORKING
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SESSIONS AT "LIBERTAS" SINCE HE IS IN HIS OWN COUNTRY. I
TOLD HIM I WOULD RELAY THIS MESSAGE TO YOU. (HOTEL AND
EMBASSY RESIDENCE WILL HAVE FACILITIES FOR MEETINGS SHOULD
YOU WISH TO INVITE PM THERE.) FOURIE SAID THERE WOULD BE NO
MORE THAN FIVE PARTICIPANTS ON SOUTH AFRICA SIDE.

3. FOURIE SAID HE UNDER INTENSE PRESSURE TO INFORM PRESS
ABOUT PROGRAM. HE PROPOSES THAT FRIDAY'S PROGRAM (NOT RPT NOT

INCLUDING LADIES' ACTIVITIES) BE MADE AVAILABLE IN GENERAL TERMS SOMETIME BEFORE YOUR ARRIVAL TOMORROW. NOTHING WOULD BE RELEASED ABOUT SATURDAY OR SUNDAY UNTIL AFTER FIRST WORKING SESSION. I TOLD HIM I WOULD CONVEY THE PROPOSAL TO YOU AND SEEK YOUR VIEWS.

4. WITH RESPECT TO DINNER ON FRIDAY FOR LADIES, FOURIE SAID MRS. VORSTER WANTS TO HOST AMERICAN LADIES. MRS. MULLER, FOURIE AND BOTHA WOULD ALSO BE PRESENT. LOCATION WOULD NOT RPT NOT BE AT "LIBERTAS" BUT AT GOVERNMENT GUEST HOUSE.

5. ACTION REQUESTED: WOULD APPRECIATE INDICATION WHETHER PROGRAM AS DESCRIBED ABOVE IS SATISFACTORY AND WHAT I SHOULD TELL FOURIE ABOUT RELEASE TO THE PRESS.
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